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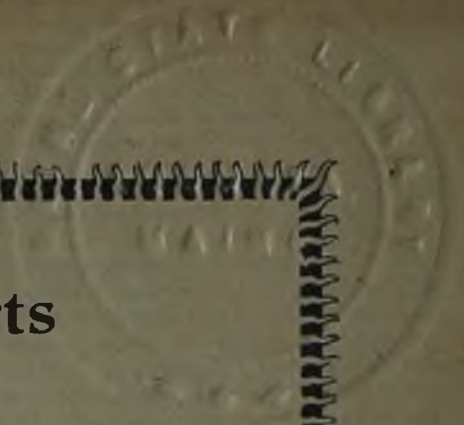
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TOWN OFFICERS;

Clerk, O. F. HALL.

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor :
C. H. HUSSEY, H. S. WHITING, E. H. TOBEY.

Treasurer, CONY RUSSELL.

Road Commissioner, W. E. PERKINS.

School Committee :
CONY RUSSELL, E. A. HILTON, C. A. WARD.

Superintendent of Schools, B. F. TURNER.

Collector, FRANK J. WATTS.

Auditor, A. O. FREDERIC.

Report of Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor.

ASSESSORS' DEPARTMENT.

Voted at March meeting 1899 for support of

schools	\$1,600 00	
Poor and town expenses	1,500 00	
Debt and interest.....	5,000 00	
Highways	2,300 00	
Repairs on school buildings.....	100 00	
Text books.....	400 00	
Superintendent of schools.....	60 00	
Free High school.....	250 00	
Add to this the State tax.....	1,576 44	
County tax.....	554 50	
		\$13,340 94

INVENTORY.

Real estate.....	\$441,935 00	
Personal estates.....	107,285 00	
		\$549,220 00
Total valuation.....		
Assessed 225 mills valuation.....	\$12,358 45	
Assessed 422 polls at \$3 each.....	1,266 00	
		\$13,624 45
Overlaying in assessing.....		\$283 51

DEPARTMENT OF POOR.

Paid as follows for:

Tramps.....	\$1 35
S. M. Handy.....	86 00
Fred Walton.....	83 81
Benj. Hersome.....	80 00
Rufus Longley.....	89 82
Charles Groves and family.....	9 00
Ella Moshier.....	154 17
Richard Curtis and family.....	4 75
Ernest Norrad and family.....	48 63
Frank A. Handy.....	16 80
John S. Benson and family.....	69 36
Ira F. Loring.....	8 25
Fremont Avery.....	12 75

Mrs. Lorenzo McIntire.....	8 35	
		<hr/> \$673 04
Due from Town of Fairfield on account of Fre- mont Avery.....		12 75
		<hr/>
Net cost of poor.....		\$660 29

TOWN EXPENSES.

Paid:

G. A. Sawyer, enumerating scholars 1898.....	\$5 00
Albert Longley, enumerating scholars 1898....	5 00
O. F. Hall.....	9 45
G. A. Sawyer, services as selectman, etc.....	50 00
Albert Longley, services as selectman, etc.....	50 00
C. H. Hussey, services as selectman, etc	200 00
Cony Russell, services as treasurer... ..	50 00
O. F. Hall, services as town clerk.....	10 00
A. O. Frederic, services as auditor.....	8 00
Dr. E. Gard Edwards, 91 vaccinations.....	18 20
Dr. L. Brown, 142 vaccinations.....	28 40
Dr. J. D. Ames, 124 vaccinations.....	24 80
Dr. J. D. Ames, 404 vaccine points and express..	28 48
F. C. Holt, expenses on board of health	1 80
For printing town reports	12 00
Books for town use.....	8 10
H. S. Whiting, enrolling militia	10 00
E. H. Tobey, enumerating scholars.....	10 00
Bates Post for use Memorial Day.....	30 00
B. F. Jones, commission for collecting tax of 1898	146 02
Eben C. Doyen, killing dogs.. ..	10 00
F. C. Holt, for board of health.....	62
H. S. Whiting, watching night of July 3.....	1 50
G. A. Tobey, watching night of July 3.....	1 50
B. F. Jones, watching night of July 3.....	1 50
A. K. Butler, for services on road hearing.....	3 00
Skowhegan fire department.....	16 00
Peter Vigue, for cleaning cemetery, north side...	3 00
E. A. Hilton, cleaning cemetery, south side.....	3 00
Mr. Burleigh and assistant, for surveying road...	8 75
C. H. Hussey, cash paid expenses on new road...	3 75
J. S. Otis, sheep killed by dogs.....	3 00
J. M. Tobey, sheep killed by dogs.....	3 50
W. S. Tobey, agt. freight on fire engine.....	8 80
W. E. Perkins, shingles used on store house.....	9 00

Ira Getchell, surveying town lines between Stark and Norridgewock.....	15 50	
H. S. Whiting, services and cash paid surveying town line.....	7 00	
Joseph Berry, services surveying town line.....	3 00	
E. H. Tobey, services surveying town line.....	6 00	
For chemicals to use fire engine.....	16 12	
Eben S. Miller, lumber used on store house.....	6 12	
D. P. Fields, labor on store house.....	11 62	
Veasie & Jones, hardware for store house.....	3 02	
W. F. Brown, printing order blanks.....	1 50	
Brackett & Russell, materials used with fire engine	6 52	
E. H. Tobey, for three granite monuments set....	3 00	
C. H. Hussey, cash paid postage and sundry bills.	3 88	
Dr. J. D. Ames, recording births and deaths.....	2 00	
Dr. L. Brown, recording births and d aths.....	2 00	
Dr. E. Gard Edwards, recording births and deaths	4 00	
O. F. Hall, services as clerk.	10 00	
Cony Russell, for postage, stationery, etc.....	6 85	
W. F. Brown, care of engine and supplies.....	17 25	
C. L. Carr, use of hall.....	1 50	
Firemen for services.....	5 60	
Cost of building new road.....	275 00	
B. F. Jones, truant officer.....	19 76	
	<hr/>	\$1,209 41

CR.

By cash received from State for sheep killed.....	\$6 50	
By cash received from town of Stark.....	11 73	
	<hr/>	\$18 23
Net town expenses.....	\$1,191 18	
Net poor expenses.....	660 29	
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Total cost for poor and town expenses		\$1,851 47
Raised for these departments with balance left over		\$2,033 43
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Unexpended Feb. 20th.....		\$181 96

ROAD COMMISSIONERS.

DR.

To balance left over.....	\$233 73	
Balance with H. E. Hale.....	24 04	
Amount raised for work on highways.....	2,300 00	
	<hr/>	\$2,557 77

Highway taxes committed to collector and paid to
treasurer.....

113 80

\$2,671 57

CR.

By cash paid:

Guy C. Haynes, by H. E. Hale.....	\$3 86
H. S. Jones, by H. E. Hale.....	5 20
Stilman Frost, by H. E. Hale.....	3 00
Henry Tuttle, by H. E. Hale.....	3 25
C. E. Veasie, by H. E. Hale.....	4 40
H. E. Hale.....	2 00
A. H. Morse.....	9 00
Llewellyn Merrow.....	3 30
E. F. Grant.....	3 15
Daniel L. Tracey, damage on team.....	15 00
Clarence Rogers.....	1 60
G. W. Emerson.....	3 00
Ernest Gilman.....	1 65
E. T. Heywood.....	3 00
Chas. L. Russell.....	1 50
Stilman B. Frost.....	12 00
H. S. and C. H. Jones.....	1 50
X. A. Withee.....	4 20
E. H. Tobey.....	3 82
Repairs for road machine.....	16 00
Road machine.....	200 00
Robert Walton.....	10 03
E. F. Grant, labor and water.....	5 00
Clarence Rogers.....	2 28
F. L. Lancaster.....	2 75
C. S. Bates.....	3 80
Albert Wixson.....	8 62
Irving Stevens.....	1 50
Fred H. Burrill.....	3 00
J. H. Barker, water.....	3 00
W. E. Burgess.....	11 70
Irving Palmer.....	7 50
Charles Haynes.....	2 25
H. A. Carson.....	15 75
Geo. A. Tilton.....	5 65
Ernest Narrad.....	15 85
F. L. Hartford.....	1 95

F. H. Burrill.....	1 50
F. L. Parker	17 67
Prescott R. Smith	2 25
Geo. E. Smith.....	3 00
John A. Merrow.....	10 00
Freight on road machine.....	12 32
John A. Merrow.....	5 25
Arthur Littlefield	2 25
Oscar Johnson.....	31 50
Sleepers and plank.....	92 27
W. E. Perkins, teams and men.....	225 16
W. E. Perkins, 45½ days, road machine.....	445 00
W. E. Newall... ..	3 34
E. C. Atkinson.....	1 64
C. H. Morton.....	3 15
Robert Walton.	2 97
E. Gilman & Son.....	2 82
O. C. Taylor.....	1 92
G. A. Tilton.	2 71
Fred Buzzell....	75
J. S. Vickery	1 05
C. H. Longley.....	1 12
H. P. Chase.....	1 95
Geo. F. Withee & Son.....	6 75
E. Narrad.....	6 00
Longley & Rogers.....	5 95
Robert Forsythe	4 00
Fred Longley.....	5 95
E. C. Palmer.....	1 57
E. Taylor.....	1 00
Fred Thompson	5 48
Charles Nye.....	12 58
Fred Burrill.....	2 00
J. T. Leavitt.....	1 55
Fred Chapman.....	2 28
Fred S. Lancaster.....	70
Howard Bickford.....	1 58
C. S. Harlow.....	1 38
E. Linnel.....	5 25
F. L. Lancaster.....	5 95
E. P. Rogers.....	2 43
F. L. Parker.....	6 60
Silas Tobey....	4 35
Henry Buzzell.....	7 75

E. F. Rogers.....	10 19
Robert Forsythe.....	6 00
F. F. Storrer.....	6 82
E. P. Holway.....	2 35
Amos Holt.....	3 56
O. C. Taylor.....	6 11
E. H. Burgess.....	4 50
Frank York.....	2 30
Bert Merrow.....	7 67
E. E. Wilder.....	68
Everett Atkinson..	9 11
Fred Salley.....	60
Geo. F. Withee and son.....	11 50
O. E. Sawtelle.....	52
H. S. Bigelow.....	8 02
H. S. Walker.....	5 60
Stephen A. Taylor.....	2 04
James B. Taylor.....	5 11
Edward Taylor	3 92
C. R. Stevens.....	4 60
C. F. Leavitt.....	27 00
S. R. Harding.....	3 00
L. H. White.....	3 15
G. A. Tilton.....	7 50
John Smith.....	75
S. G. Woodcock.....	1 00
C. S. Bates.....	3 30
John Knox.....	1 91
Frank L. Lancaster.....	15 90
Sumner Robinson.....	5 12
C. F. Grant and others.....	11 20
Everett Williamson.....	5 55
F. A. Tobey and others.....	3 35
Walter E. Newall	4 87
E. C. McIntire.....	70
W. A. Rogers.....	45
J. T. Leavitt	4 05
E. L. Hight.....	2 80
E. P. Rogers.....	6 19
S. Higgins.....	4 75
Irving M. Gray.....	4 60
Michael Clair	2 47
H. M. Heywood...	1 50
C. T. Garfield	2 40

Fred Witham	70
Prescott Smith.	2 25
Lewis Robbins.....	3 00
J. M. Stevens.....	3 00
Frank L. Parker.....	13 63
James H. Haines.....	2 85
H. P. Merrill....	2 04
Freight on snow plow.....	2 64
E. T. Heywood.....	1 00
Howard Bickford ...	7 00
F. L. Storer.	5 75
Veasie & Jones.....	3 45
R. B. Sawyer.....	19 50
E. W. Gilman.....	6 80
E. L. Hight.....	3 15
E. E. Wilder.....	3 95
L. E. Rogers and others.....	8 42
J. S. Bigelow	50
E. H. Bates.....	7 75
H. S. Bigelow.....	4 17
Everett Atkinson.....	2 70
L. E. Rogers.....	7 32
C. A. Atkinson.....	25 31
E. W. Gilman.....	2 27
L. E. Rogers.....	1 75
Frank York.....	1 65
Roy Bigelow.....	2 42
C. E. Veasie.....	18 26
A. W. Stanley.....	1 50
H. S. Rogers.....	25 65
E. F. Rogers.....	25 40
L. A. Wetherell & Co.....	45 60
I. W. Gray... ..	4 05
F. Padham.. ..	1 00
Frank York.....	5 09
Ernest Narrad.....	23 30
B. F. Lancaster.....	7 15
William Lockwood.....	60
Geo. O. Weston.....	1 05
W. E. Perkins.....	426 77
C. S. Bates and others.....	4 27
L. A. Wetherell & Co.....	40

H. F. Tobey and others.....	7 60	
	<hr/>	\$2,330 56
Balance in treasury.....		341 01
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		\$2,671 57

Collector's Department.

To balance of tax 1898 due last report Feb. 18, 1899	\$14,939 49
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By abatements.....	\$131 36
By treasurers receipts.....	14,808 13
	\$14,939 49

1899.

To tax committed to F. J. Watts, collector.....	\$13,624 45
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CR.

By treasurers receipts.	3,338 33
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Balance uncollected, Feb. 20, 1900.....	\$10,286 12
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ABATEMENTS FOR YEAR 1898.

G. H. Rogers, highway tax had been paid.....	2 80
Heirs of A. D. Brown, error on real estate.....	9 30
Sawtelle, estate, piano did not have.....	2 33
H. M. Otis, Jr., poll.....	3 00
W. N. Turner, poll, error.....	3 00
Daniel Woodman, poll.....	3 00
Elihu Mosher	3 00
Nathan Tuttle, poll and personal, sickness.....	4 15
Martha Tuttle, real estate and personal.....	6 67
Fred Jewett, paid poll in Exeter.....	3 00
Daniel Hunt, poll paid in Hartland.....	3 00
Wesley A. McIntire, real estate taxed to E. S. Miller.....	3 10
Clarence Austin, poll, not in town.....	3 00
Frank Handy, poll, poverty.....	3 00
N. H. and C. J. Savage, per error.....	5 02
Oliver Huff, real estate, poverty.....	6 28
Geo. E. McIntire, poll paid in Oakland.....	3 00
Webster Reed, poll, dead.....	3 00
Carroll Stevens, poll, not of age.....	3 00
George Taylor, poll, not of age.....	3 00
John Tibbetts, poll, not in town.....	3 00
Ernest Wade, poll, dead.....	3 00
F. H. Tobey, personal, error.....	3 10
Washington Bragg, error.....	6 20
W. C. Rogers, poll, poverty.....	3 00
Allie Tuttle, poll, poverty.....	3 00

Walter Newell, poll, not of age	3 00	
George Forsythe, poll, out of town.....	3 00	
Fred Buzzell, poll, paid in Skowhegan.....	3 00	
C. L. Carr, personal, error.....	3 11	
G. R. Lunt, personal error.....	1 24	
Frank Hill, poll, paid in Anson.....	3 00	
W. M. Murphy, poll, not in town.....	3 00	
Chas. Tucker, poll, paid in Madison.....	3 00	
Enos Wilder, poll, old age.....	3 00	
George H. Seavey, personal, poverty.....	2 33	
E. M. Wyman, highway tax	1 40	
Ernest Norad, poll and personal.	5 33	
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Total abatements.....		\$131 36
Received of collector, Norad tax.....	\$5 33	
Allowed coll. F. E. Jewett's tax, 1897....	\$3 00	
Allowed coll. Jason Morse's tax, 1898....	1 00	
Cash paid treasurer.....	1 33	
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	\$5 33	

CONY RUSSELL TREASURER IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF NORRIDGEWOCK
1899

DR

March 6:

To cash in treasury...	\$1,812 50	
Received of B. F. Jones, col. 1898.....	14,939 49	
F. J. Watts, col. 1899.....	3,338 33	
Tuition high school, 1898.....	22 50	
Tuition high school, 1899.....	10 00	
State free high school, 1898.....	250 00	
State free high school, 1899.....	125 00	
State pensions.....	144 00	
State school fund.....	1,000 08	
State R. R. tax.....	3 03	
State, damage to sheep.....	15 50	
State, dog tax returned.....	86 03	
H. E. Hale, road commissioner, 1898.....	2 33	
O. F. Hall, dog licenses, 1899.....	116 00	
Skowhegan and Norridgewock R. R.....	50 00	
Skilling's note.....	49 00	
Town of Starks.....	11 73	
B. B. Wells, sale of stove.....	5 00	
Sale of $3\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. bonds.....	40,600 00	
Selectmen on account of abatements.....	1 33	
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		\$62,581 85

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By cash paid 4 per cent bonds.....	\$1,600 00
6 per cent bonds.....	39,300 00
Interest order.....	4,000 00
Interest	3,700 00
School orders.....	3,247 53
Pauper orders.....	673 04
School house repair orders... ..	84 84
Highway orders.....	2,308 85
Superintendence orders.....	153 26
Text books.....	400 00
Abatement orders.....	131 36
Town expense.....	1,209 41
State tax.....	1,576 44
County tax.....	554 50
State dog licenses....	116 00
C. H. Hussey, expenses placing bonds.....	35 93
Printing bonds.....	91 00
State pensions.....	144 00
First National Bank of Portland to pay 3½ per cent coupons due Jan. 1, 1900.....	700 00
Cash in treasury.....	2,555 69
	<hr/> \$62,581 85

BOND ACCOUNT.

6 PER CENT.

6 per cent bonds, unpaid Feb. 20, 1899.....	\$43,950 00
By bonds destroyed.....	\$39,300 00
By bonds due July 1, 1900.....	3,350 00
By bonds unpaid and uncalled for.....	1,300 00
	<hr/> \$43,950 00
Received sale of 3½ per cent bonds	\$40,600 00
By cash paid for placing bonds.....	\$35 93
By cash paid for printing bonds.	91 00
By bonds destroyed.....	39,300 00
By balance unexpended.....	1,173 07
	<hr/> \$40,600 00

4 PER CENT.

4 per cent bonds, unpaid Feb 20, 1899.....	\$11,000 00
By 4 per cent bonds, destroyed.....	1,600 00
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Balance unpaid.....	\$9,400 00

FINANCIAL STANDING OF THE TOWN FEB. 20, 1900.

LIABILITIES.

Bonds issue 1868 6 per cent.....	\$4,650 00
Bonds issue 1883 4 per cent.....	9,400 00
Bonds issue 1899 3½ per cent.....	40,000 00
Interest due on bonds.....	451 86
Due schools.....	254 23
Schoolhouse repairs.....	65 66
Superintendence.....	2 22
Highways.....	341 01
Town expenses and poor.....	181 96
Bills estimated.....	650 00
	———— \$55,991 94

RESOURCES.

Uncollected taxes.....	\$10,286 12
Chase house.....	50 00
Town office and safe.....	500 00
Due from State free high school.....	125 00
Due from town of Fairfield.....	12 75
Cash in treasury.....	2,555 69
Net debt, Feb. 20, 1900.....	42,467 38
	———— \$55,996 94

Reduction since last report, \$3,020 88.

C. H. HUSSEY,	} Selectmen of Norridgewock.
H. S. WHITING,	
E. H. TOBEY,	

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of the selectmen, treasurer and road commissioner, for the year ending February 20th, 1900, and find them correct, with proper vouchers.

A. O. FREDERIC, Auditor.

Report of Superintendent.

We give herewith our second annual report of the Public Schools of Norridgewock. There are three things in particular for which special effort has been made the past year in our schools, namely : A more uniform course of study in our rural schools, the regular attendance of all scholars between the ages of 7 and 15, inclusive, and a better care of the text books by the pupils. That some improvement has been made in these directions, we believe is evident.

It must be admitted that, as a rule, the same care is not taken with our ungraded, as with our graded schools, with reference to the studies to be taught. While it would not be possible to have the same courses of study in both schools, we believe that something could be done to bring about a more uniform course of study in the schools not graded.

An attempt has been made to do this the past school year, with some success. There are difficulties, however, in the way of obtaining the best results. It seems, that in certain schools, there has been an "unwritten law," that the scholars should practically decide for themselves what studies they should take without any special reference to their teacher or the superintendent. It is believed these hindrances are being gradually overcome, and that it will be easier each year for the Superintendent to improve the courses of study in our rural schools. The teachers we feel certain, will profit by any forward movement that may be made, as it will enable them to do even more work, with a less number of daily recitations; some of them having now as many as thirty per day. This will also be a decided advantage to those scholars, who, in a few years will come to the High School, where all the courses of study are carefully graded.

History repeats itself from year to year in the matter of school attendance. There are some who seem to regard it as a very unjust and unkind thing, that their children are required to go to school regularly, according to law. Those who had these views, are chiefly responsible for any unpleasant things that may have come up during the year. The law

has been impartially enforced; and has resulted in a large increase in the average attendance in all the schools, much to the joy of the teachers and we believe, to the profit of those taught.

There has been a marked improvement in the schools, the past year, in a more careful use of the text books. We are glad to note that many of the scholars have learned, that there is a difference between a "proper use," and "wilful abuse" of school books, generously provided for them by the town.

Our efforts of last year to raise the standard of all the graded schools, were to quite an extent successful.

This however, is not a matter to be left to chance, but must be carefully and persistently followed up from year to year, if we are to maintain a high standard of excellence.

In regard to the general work of all the schools, it is a pleasure to report, that real progress has been made in every school. The relation between teacher and scholar has, to an unusual degree been pleasant, thus making it possible for the teacher to work with fewer hindrances, and for the pupil to receive greater good from the instruction given. We have been fortunate in obtaining good teachers in all the common schools; and especially favored in our corps of efficient teachers in the Free High School. For the most part the same teachers have been employed in the village schools this year as last. Some changes, however, have been made. Mr. M. B. Corliss has served as 2nd assistant in the High School, two terms. Miss Annette B. King has succeeded Miss Nellie Russell as teacher of the Primary School. Miss Alma Young has taken the place of Miss Flora Farrar in the Intermediate School. A few changes, also, have taken place in the teachers of the rural schools. In addition to the regular work, music has been taught by Mr. E. A. Cook, once a week, in each of our village schools. Considering the small amount of time given to this study, very good progress has been made by the scholars, the two terms Mr. Cook has been employed. The value of music in our public schools can hardly be overestimated; and if the good work already begun, is followed up the coming year, we shall expect to see larger and better re-

sults. It seems to us, after careful estimate, that \$250.00 will be needed for text books and school supplies the coming year. Very nearly \$50.00 will be required for school supplies, leaving a balance of \$200.00 for text books. We would recommend, therefore, that \$250.00 be appropriated at our next annual meeting for the above mentioned objects.

From the Common School fund, five schools have been supported thirty weeks; one school twenty-four weeks, and one twenty weeks.

From the same fund the High School has been supported sixteen weeks. From the High School fund twenty weeks; making for the High School thirty-six weeks for the year.

Following is an itemized account of receipts and expenditures of the Common School and High School funds, school house repairs, text books and superintendence.

COMMON SCHOOL REPORT.

Amount raised by town.....	\$1600 00
received from State.....	1000 08
Unexpended last year.....	389 11
	<hr/> \$2989. 19

PAID AS FOLLOWS:

Alonzo Lancaster, janitor,.....	\$2 75
Daniel Rogers, ".....	24 00
Edward E. Heald, ".....	2 50
Earle Barnes, ".....	1 00
Warren W. Ward, ".....	15 00
Morris Adams, ".....	1 00
W. H. Haynes, ".....	2 50
L. R. Folsom, ".....	20 00
M. B. Corliss, ".....	20 00
	<hr/> \$88 75
O. C. Taylor, conveyance,	\$9 00
Henry Tuttle, ".....	3 00
Jas. T. Leavitt, ".....	148 50
Fred Horn, ".....	5 00
Everett Williamson. ".....	27 00
Lucius Wilder, ".....	60 00
Fred Burrill, ".....	16 80
O. B. Taylor, ".....	9 00
Enoch Hight ".....	12 00

Fred Stevens,	"	20 40	
Geo. D. Sheaf,	"	12 00	
Jas. Taylor,	"	25 50	
F. F. Storer,	"	12 00	
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			\$360 20
Alonzo Lancaster, wood,		\$1.25	
Daniel Rogers,	"	7 35	
J. W. Elkins	"	4 50	
Fred Horn,	"	9 00	
Annette E. Burgess,	"	85 50	
Fred A. Tobey,	"	7 00	
Groves & Mitchell,	"	1 10	
Fred Woodsom,	"	7 00	
Harry Lassar,	"	4 50	
E. A. Hilton,	"	2 50	
Geo. Hodges	"	5 50	
Henry Buzzell,	"	7 00	
Wm. Curtis,	"	1 88	
Horace Withee,	"	7 00	
Ellis Tobey,	"	7 00	
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			\$158 08
L. R. Folsom and wife, teaching,		\$350 00	
Nellie E. Russell,	"	85 00	
Edward E. Heald,	"	50 00	
Flora Farrar,	"	195 50	
Nina Tuttle,	"	136 00	
Ethel Kennison,	"	50 00	
Clara Bates,	"	150 00	
Mabel Wells,	"	150 00	
Nellie Emmons,	"	50 00	
Louie Walton,	"	100 00	
Ella Whitcomb,	"	50 00	
Moses B. Corless,	"	170 00	
Carleton C. Morse,	"	95 00	
Annette B. King,	"	170 00	
Blanche T. Ward,	"	17 00	
Clara M. Bigelow,	"	70 00	
Alena L. Young,	"	59 50	
Maude Jones,	"	100 00	
Winnefred Hall,	"	55 00	
E. A. Cook,	"	37 50	
			<hr/>
			\$2140 50
Total paid,			<hr/>
			2747 53

Balance.....	\$241 66
Bills contracted, estimated,	200 00

Balance unexpended,.....	\$41 66
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SCHOOL HOUSE REPAIRS.

Amount raised by town.....	\$100 00
" sale of stove,.....	5 00
" unexpended last year,.....	45 50
	<u>\$150 50</u>

Paid as follows:

T. A. Gould,.....	\$0 50	
Daniel Rogers,.....	5 63	
Alice Snell,.....	4 60	
Bertha Worthen,...	4 60	
Angie Grant,	4 60	
J. C. Oliver,	2 57	
Geo. E. Chase,.....	1 50	
Chas. Rogers,....	50	
E. A. Hilton,.....	19 61	
E. S. Miller,	4 13	
G. A. Simonds,	13 09	
F. L. Parker,	25	
Chas. A. Ward.....	1 90	
Clara M. Bigelow,.....	25	
S. A. Cleveland,	1 00	
C. E. Veasie,.....	5 18	
Veasie & Jones,.....	2 98	
D. P. Fields,.....	2 00	
B. F. Turner, ...	5 60	
Brackett & Russell,	4 35	
	<u>\$84 84</u>	
Balance unexpended,.....	\$60 66	
" due from B. B. Wells, on stove.....	3 00	
	<u>\$63 66</u>	

HIGH SCHOOL.

Amount raised by town,.....	\$500 00	
unexpended last year,.....	2 57	
Tuition received, 1899,.....	10 00	
	<u>\$512 57</u>	
Paid L. R. Folsom and wife,.....		500 00
Balance unexpended,.....	\$12 57	
Due on tuition,.....	20 00	
	<u>\$32 57</u>	

TEXT BOOKS.

Amount raised by town,	\$400 00	
“ received, sale old books,	18 77	
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“ expended,		\$418 77

SUPERINTENDENCE.

Amount raised by town,	\$60 00	
“ unexpended last year,	95 48	
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		\$155 48
Paid B. F. Turner,	\$150 00	
Stamps and stationery,	3 26	
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		\$153 26
Balance unexpended,		\$2 22

E. A. HILTON, }
 CONY RUSSELL, } S. S.
 CHAS. A. WARD, } Committee.

B. F. TURNER, Superintendent.

